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TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO THE EMPEROR FROM THE PRESIDENT

1. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO HIS IMPERIAL
MAJESTY THE EMPEROR FROM THE PRESIDENT:

2. "YOUR IMPERIAL MAJESTY: MRS. FORD AND I ARE VERY
GRATEFUL FOR YOUR GENEROUS MESSAGE OF CONCERN AND
ENCOURAGEMENT WHICH MINISTER KOSUGI SO KINDLY CONVEYED.
KNOWING OF YOUR GOOD WISHES AND THE FRIENDSHIP WHICH THEY
REFLECTED HAS MEANT A GREAT DEAL TO BOTH OF US DURING THIS
TIME.

WITH OUR WARM PERSONAL REGARDS TO YOU AND THE EMPRESS.

SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD."

3. FYI: FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM EMPEROR TO
PRESIDENT TRANSMITTED BY JAPANESE EMBASSY: "THE EMPRESS AND
I HAVE LEARNED WITH DEEP CONCERN OF MRS. FORD'S ILLNESS AND
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EARNESTLY WISH HER SPEEDY RECOVERY."

4. NEITHER WHITE HOUSE NOR DEPARTMENT PLAN TO RELEASE
TEXTS OF MESSAGES BUT HAVE NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY
JAPANESE. MAW

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